

No. 3621

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Mary Wendell
Residence Nantucket Mass

Date Oct 13, 1883-

Rec'd " 16 "

Ack'd " 19 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Wishes to send a
painting for exhibition or
sale

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Recd Oct 11th
1885 " 19.

October 13th 1885
Curator, Corcoran
Art Gallery
Dear Sir.

I have a painting I
wish to lend to your
Gallery on exhibition or
sale, of course the sale
is one of the main objects
in view.

I write of information
or your requirements, also
if I must lend it at a
specified time, and best
with frame or without.

That I am sincere
in regard to my picture

I would prefer you to
Miss D. L. Gilton of
your City.

Hopeing to hear
from you at your earliest
convenience I am

Respectfully Yours.
Wendell May,
Nantucket,
Mass.

No. 3622

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Baird S. P.

Residence

Date Oct 13. /83-

Rec'd " 11 "

Ack'g'd " 11 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Returns some duplicates
photographs

✓

Smithsonian Institution

Reed
Acted
Oct 13, 1885.SPENCER F. BAIRD,
SECRETARY.

Washington D.C. Oct. 13, 1885.

Dear Doctor:

I am sorry I
was unable to attend
the meeting of the
Corcoran Art Gallery
Board appointed for
last evening, but I was
too unwell to leave the
house in such stormy
weather.

I return herewith
some duplicate photographs
sent by you to me at
Woods Hole last summer.
I presume you can

make a better disposition
of them than I can.

Yours truly,
W. Bask

Dr. Wm. MacLeod,
Curator Corcoran Art
Gallery,
Washington.

No. 3623.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Dodgeborn L. L.
Residence Jamaica N.Y.
Date Oct. 14.¹⁵ 20, 22, 1883.

Rec'd 13¹⁶, 21, 24 .

Ack'g'd 19¹⁹, 21, 24, 4

Answered

SUBJECT.

About his medallions
of Franklin.

✓

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N.Y.

Rec'd Oct 16
Webb " 19

Jamaica Queen Co,
Oct 15/88,

Mr. Wm MacLeod.

Dear Sir, I enclose
you yesterday while in N.Y.
and you did not make
myself clear about the
exp. charges in bronze Med.
of Franklin. I never like to
pay exp. in advance, and then
you would prefer to remit
them to you when I hear from
you, if that is not objectionable.
I think that I will send a total
sum if you think well yths Sir.
I believe I told you that if
agreeable I would like the
Ceremonial Hall of Art to take the
Franklin seat, although would
like you to see it.

Yours very truly
Chas. L. Hogeboom

Recd Oct 25
Actd " 19

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Jamaica Inn Co D^o 1885
Oct 14 85; "

Mr W^m MacLeod
Dear Sir, I
will send tomorrow by
ex. a large bill of
Franklin, I leave the
exp. to be paid by you
which I will refund if
you do not publish.
Want Mr. Misses to
see it, probably my
nephew will call
on you, Should Mr.
Misses want the bill
for pub. building you
Ladies are at the Hall
will not be an objection
with it, I am not

findly the arrangement
which I think I desire
that people are look-
ing coming into town,
and I have not till
now made good
arrangements for
showing work,

Please excuse this
hurried

Yours truly
Chas. L. Higginson

~~To Mr. Higginson~~

Recd & bkt
Oct. 21

Jamaica Oct 22/85,
Mr. W^m MacLeod

Dear Sir, Enclosed
are 8 10ct stamps
which is the amount of
cupbill. I am very
much obliged to you.
I think the Franklin
had better be returned
to me if you have not
delivered it to my
nephew, Dean
do not imagine
that I have any

Unpleasant feelin'
of disappointment,
but only of thanks
to you for your kind
interest.

Yours truly
Chas. L. Holboon

Recd Herld
Oct 21 Jamaica Oct 20/85.

Mr Wm MacLeod,
Dear Sir, Your kind
letter is recd. Thank you
for your trouble. You
may if he desires, it return
the Franklin to my
nephew Wm. L. Brantall
I would like to avoid
having it sent back.
By the way will you please
let me know the expr.
bill? As to the Franklin
intaglios, I have placed

It and all the others in
tulip at \$15, wholesale
but will be happy to
let you nephew have
one at that price if
he wants and will box
it and send it to his home
if he desires. That will
be just as good as for
me to send it in N.Y.
Thanks again again &
remain truly yours

Chas. L. Hofbeam

No. 3624.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Beebe Miss E. M.

Residence Havana N. Y.

Date Oct 15 1885

Rec'd " 17 "

Ack'd " 17 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Asks if students can
copy in the gallery.

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Recd & Rehd
Recd Oct 17.

Maranac N.Y. Oct 15. 1883 -
Mr. Macleod Curator
Corcoran Art-Gallery
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

Please me for addressing you, since
it is the only way I can devise for
obtaining information at so great a dis-
tance. Will you kindly inform me
if Art-Students are permitted to avail
themselves of the treasures of your
Gallery for study, and if so, subject
to what conditions?

I will be exceedingly grateful
for reliable information, and trust the
gentleman will reply at his earliest
convenience.

Very respectfully
Miss E. M. Beebe.

No. 3625,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Campbell, Wm. J.

Residence Phil'a.

Date Oct. 15, 1883.

Rec'd 17 4

Ack'g'd 17 4

Answered

SUBJECT.

About portraits of
Jefferson.

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Reed & Becket
Oct. 17

Phila. 10/15. 85

Wm. MacLeod Esq

Wash^u. D.C.

Dear Sir

Yours of the 14th inst. is rec'd. I am glad to receive such full information about the Thornton [Stuart] medallion. The first time I am in Wash^u I shall call & thank you for your kindness in taking so much trouble to answer my questions.

Trumbull's portrait in the "Declaration of Independence" is of course a replica. & I suppose of the portrait painted in Paris in 1787.

In reference to Miss Ransom's copy of Remb^t Peale. This is new to me. The original was painted in 1803 but under what circumstances I do not know, as Peale was abroad that year while Jefferson was not. Is Miss Ransom still alive & if so do you know her address. If not alive can you give me her full name & place where she lived & date of painting, also the name & address of the photographer? There is a very poor heliotype copy of Remb^t Peale in the 1st ed. of Parton's Life of Jefferson. This is the only reproduction of Remb^t Peale that

I know of. There are several engravings from
R. Peale's portrait but they are so very unlike ~~that~~
the N.Y. Hist Soc's picture that there must be another
painting by a Peale. I am told by one gent^t that
it was Rubens Peale - but this is all I can find. No-
body as yet, seems to know the whereabouts or the
identity of this picture. I think however that it
must be in New York.

Yours truly

Wm. J. Campbell

No. 3626.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Flaherty E. O.

Residence

Date Oct. 19, 1885.

Rec'd

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Reports certain repairs
necessary to roof
Please make them for \$72.

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Washington D.C. Oct 19th 1885
to the Hon Committee on building
of the Corcoran art gallery
the following repairs require to be done
to the roof of the Corcoran art gallery
the roof over the towers and the iron
railing is got to be repaired
the valley gutters will have to have
the old paint scraped off. it is peeling
off and it has washed in to the spouts
and ~~top~~ stop them up
the ^{root} circle over the main stairway
the flashing has given away and
is got to be repaired and the paint
to be scraped off
the skylights there are several
glass broken and will have to be
puttyed up there ought to be
wire strainers over the spouts in

the Valley gutters sum of
the above work has all ready
been done the storm of the
night of the 12 has raised the
walling and the roof in some
places yours &
E.O. Flaherty

Dear Sir. Full Comms,
It is thought best to
employ Flaherty and trust him.
A. H. G.
Peter Conner.

Mr. Flaherty will do the
above work for \$72.

J. J. Barbano
Ass't Curator

No. 3627

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Maynard, Perry and Ryer.
Residence N. Y.

Date Oct. 19. 1885.

Rec'd 20

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Enclose Bill of Lading
for 5 Cases (statuary)

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HAYWARD, PERRY & RYER,
CUSTOM HOUSE BROKERS, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION AGENTS,
Average Adjusters and Insurance Brokers,
AGENTS FOR UNDERWRITERS IN HOLLAND, CHINA, BOMBAY, JAVA & AUSTRALIA.

BOSTON OFFICE,
134 STATE STREET.

NOTARIES, (NOTARIES FOR HANOVER NAT'L BANK.)

54 Wall Street,

Rec'd Oct. 20.

New York, *Oct 19 1885*

The Corcoran Gallery of Art
Georgetown D.C.

Dear Sir

Enclosed is

Our Bill of Lading for 3
cases in Columbia forwarded
to you in London.

Yours faithfully
Hayward Perry & Ryer
Daily

No. 3628.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Columbia Typographical Union No 101.

Residence

Date Oct, 20, 1883.

Rec'd 21 "

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

*Offers to do the
printing 10% lower than
Gibson Bros.*

✓

Recd Oct. 21.

—OFFICE OF—

Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101.

LOCK BOX 284.

Washington, D.C., October 20th, 1885.

To the Comitors of the
Lucas and Ballou.

Sgentlemen:

A short time since the Committee of Columbia Typographical Union caused to be mailed you a circular-letter setting forth the cause of disagreement between Gibson Bros., printers, and said Union. Since then we have learned that a few to whom notifications were sent have continued to have their printing done by said firm. A presentation of the equities in the matter involved not having had the effect desired, we now make the open offer to have your printing done IN THIS CITY for the next thirty days at 10 per cent. discount on Gibson Bros.' established prices. Hoping to hear from you at an early day,

I am, very respectfully,

JULIAN L. WRIGHT,
Secretary Committee.

Recd Oct 21.

Oct. 24/88

Dear Sir

I return the Circular
of the "Columbia Typographical
Union No 101".

Personally, I would not
countermand the movement for
a discount of 50%, or any
other amount, and think it
would be well to acknowledge
it and say that it will be
laid before the Trustees at their
next meeting.

Yours truly
A. Myrd

W. MacLeod
B.C.A.

No. 3629

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Baird S. Jr.

Residence

Date Oct 21, 1883.

Rec'd 22 "

Ack'g'd 22 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Offers a painting of
Constantinople to the
Gallery for exhibition.

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S. F. Baird
Smithsonian Institution

SPENCER F. BAIRD,

SECRETARY

Read & Acctd
Oct 22nd

Washington D.C. Oct 21 1881

Dear Doctor MacLeod.

We have an old painting of Constantinople which we offer for exhibition at the Corcoran Gallery, but would prefer you should see it before venturing to send it over. Can you call at the Institution some day & look at it? If I am not there Mr. Rhee will show you the picture.

Very sincerely yours,
M. Baird

Dr W. MacLeod,
Curatin - Corcoran Gallery of Art,
D.C.

No. 3630

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Hayward, Perry & Ryer.
Residence 54 Wall St. N. Y.
Date Oct: 28. 1885.

Rec'd 29 "

Ack'g'd 29 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Wishes to know if the
"risk" taken on Statuary
has terminated.

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HAYWARD, PERRY & RYER,
CUSTOM HOUSE BROKERS, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION AGENTS,
AVERAGE ADJUSTERS AND INSURANCE BROKERS,
AGENTS FOR UNDERWRITERS IN HOLLAND, CHINA, BOMBAY, JAVA & AUSTRALIA.

BOSTON OFFICE,

134 STATE STREET.

NOTARIES, (NOTARIES FOR HANOVER NAT'L BANK.)

54 Wall Street,

New York, Oct. 28 1885.

*Read & filed
Oct 28 1885*
Mess^r Corcoran Gallery of Art.
Georgetown. D. C.
Dear Sirs. Washington.

The Underwriters on the
Statuary ex^s. "Columbia", forwarded
by us to your address this month,
wishing to know whether the risk
taken on this shipment hence by
Rail to your place has terminated,
we would ask you kindly to
inform us when said Statuary
was received by your good offices,
this obliging

Yours faithfully
Hayward Perry & Ryer